



Docket No.: 050212-0560

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Tomomi SANO, et al. : Confirmation Number: 5585  
Application No.: 10/743,329 : Group Art Unit: 2883  
Filed: December 23, 2003 : Examiner: Michael P. Mooney  
For: OPTICAL SWITCHING DEVICE AND OPTICAL TRANSMISSION SYSTEM

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated June 30, 2005, now due to expire September 30, 2005, be extended for two month(s) and set to expire on November 30, 2005.

Please charge the extension fee of \$450.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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